

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
WATER RESOURCES
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2136
ANSWERED ON:06.08.2001
GODAVARI LIFT IRRIGATION SCHEME
GADDAM GANGA REDDY;KINJARAPU YERRANNAIDU

Will the Minister of WATER RESOURCES be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Union Government have permitted the Government of Andhra Pradesh to take up Godavari lift irrigation scheme in Telangana districts;
- (b) if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) the further action proposed to get the remaining part of Godavari project cleared expeditiously?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF WATER RESOURCES (SMT. BIJOYA CHAKRAVARTY)

(a) to (c) The Government of Andhra Pradesh have on 29.5.2001 submitted a pre feasibility report of the Godavari Lift Irrigation Scheme envisaging construction of a lift scheme 16 km below Inchampalli on Godavari to irrigate about 2 lakh ha. by lifting 50 TMC. Since the project being located in lower Godavari sub basin G-10, the Government of Andhra Pradesh can utilise all water of Lower Godavari Sub Basin, as per the award of the Godavari Water Disputes Tribunal. The Government of Andhra Pradesh has been asked by Ministry of Water Resources to submit the detailed project report for techno-economic appraisal in the Central Water Commission and thereafter the investment clearance from the Planning Commission.